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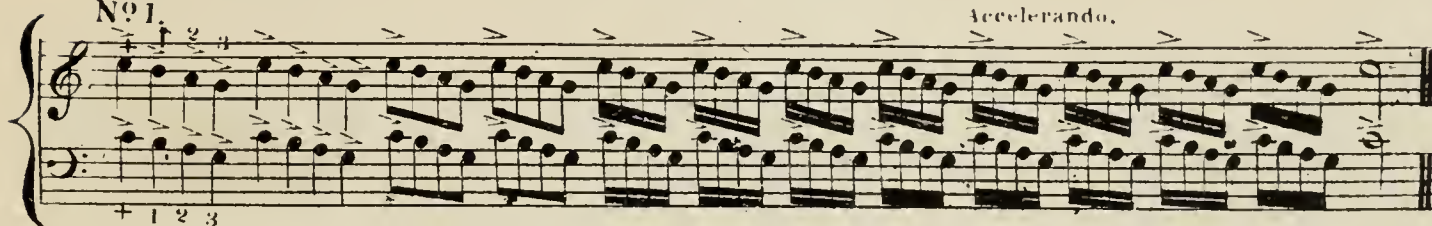
The following Miscellaneous Passages (which will be found of the greatest use, if a Selection of them, be played daily before the usual regular practice, "*pour mettre les doigts en train*" need not be studied precisely in the order they are classed, but the particular abilities of each Harpist must be considered and the Selection made accordingly.

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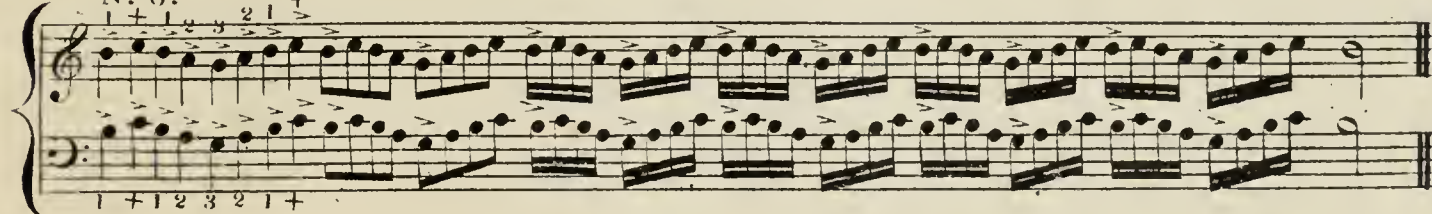
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The image shows a page from a musical score, likely for a piano introduction. The score is written on two staves, a treble staff and a bass staff, joined by a brace on the left. The music is in 3/4 time, as indicated by the '3' and '4' in the time signature. The key signature is one flat (B-flat), indicated by a flat symbol on the first line of the treble staff. The score contains various musical notations, including notes, rests, and dynamic markings such as 'p' (piano) and 'f' (forte). There are also some markings that look like '3+' and '3 2 1 + 3 2 1 +', which might be part of a specific musical exercise or a notation for a particular effect. The paper is aged and yellowed, and there are some stains and marks on the surface.

No. 18.

No. 18.

No. 19.

No. 19.

The musical score is written for piano. It begins with a piano introduction in C major, marked with a piano (p) dynamic. The introduction consists of a few measures of arpeggiated chords. The main melody is written in a single system with a treble and bass staff. The melody is in C major and 4/4 time. It features a series of eighth and sixteenth notes, with some measures containing triplets. The bass line is written in a single system with a treble and bass staff. It features a series of eighth and sixteenth notes, with some measures containing triplets. The score is marked with a piano (p) dynamic and a tempo marking of 'Allegretto'. The piece concludes with a double bar line.

No. 20.

No. 20.

The musical score for No. 20 consists of two staves, Treble and Bass, in common time (C). The notation is a form of rhythmic shorthand where notes are represented by dots and beams, with numbers indicating fingerings. The Treble staff has fingerings: 3 2 1 + 1 + 1 + 1 2, 3 2 1 + 1 + 1 + 1 2, 3 2 1 + 3 2, 1 + 1 + 1 2, and 3 2 1 + 3 2, 1 + 1 + 1 2. The Bass staff has fingerings: 3 2 1 + 1 + 1 + 1 2, 3 2 1 + 1 + 1 + 1 2, 3, and 3 2 1 + 3 2, 1 + 1 + 1 2. The piece concludes with a double bar line.

No. 21.

A musical score for a piano piece, likely a waltz, featuring two staves. The music is written in a key with one sharp (F#) and a 3/4 time signature. The melody is characterized by rapid sixteenth-note passages and triplet figures. Above the first staff, there are markings for triplets: "+ 1 2 3 + 1 2 3". Above the second staff, there are markings for triplets: "+ 1 2 3" and "+ 1 2 3". The piece concludes with a double bar line and repeat dots.

No. 22.

No. 23.

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No. 26.

Nº 27.

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Nº 28.

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Nº 29.

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Nº 30.

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Nº 45

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Nº 46

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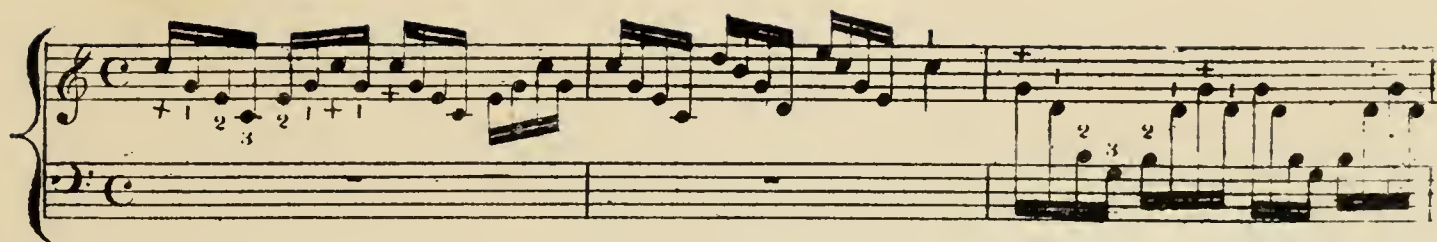
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 - 6. German Waltzes..... 2 6
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 - 12. Oh! wert thou mine for ever Kücken 3 0

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- b Op. 127. Sacred melodies:
 - 1. Martin Luther's hymn 2 6
 - 2. Old hundredth psalm 2 6
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 - 4. Airs from "The Creation" (Haydn) 4 0
 - 5. Vital spark of heavenly flame..... 2 6
 - 6. Agnus Dei (Mozart) 2 6

- b Op. 128. Deux mélodies de l'opéra Les huguenots (Meyerbeer):
 - 1. Nobles seigneurs. Cavatine du page 2 0
 - 2. A ce mot tout s'anime. Air de Marguerite 2 0

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- b Op. 129. "ÆOLIAN CHORDS." Three melodies:
 - 1. Gems of the crimson-coloured even 1 6
 - 2. She was a creature strange as fair 1 6
 - 3. 'Tis sweet when in the glowing west 2 6

- b Op. 132. Nereides. Sketch 3 0
- b Op. 142. L'invitation del gondoliere. Sketch 2 6
- b Op. 144. Il trovatore. Fantasia on Verdi's opera 4 0
- b Op. 146. La traviata. Souvenir de l'opéra de Verdi 3 0

- b Op. 149. "GEMS OF VERDI." Twelve operatic airs, transcribed each 2 6
 - 1. Ah! che la morte..... Trovatore
 - 2. Il balen del suo sorriso Trovatore
 - 3. Si la stanchezza Trovatore
 - 4. Stride la vampa Trovatore
 - 5. La mia letizia I Lombardi
 - 6. La donna è mobile Rigoletto
 - 7. Parigi, o cara Traviata
 - 8. Ah, fors'è lui Traviata
 - 9. Di Provenza il mar..... Traviata
 - 10. Libiamo (Brindisi)..... Traviata
 - 11. Ernani involami..... Ernani
 - 12. Va pensiero Nabuco

- b Op. 158. "SEASIDE RAMBLES." Four musical sketches:
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 - 2. Murmuring waves 2 0
 - 3. My bark glides through the silver wave 2 6
 - 4. Water sprites 2 0

- b Op. 159. Andalusia. Bolero brillant 4 0
- b Op. 166. The keel row. Fantasia 4 0
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- b Op. 170. Un ballo in maschera. Fantaisie 4 0

- b Songs without words:
 - 1. Dans ces instants où le cœur pense 2 0
 - 2. Ich denk' dein, wenn durch den Hain der Nachtigallen 2 0
 - 3. Eilende Wolken, Segler der Lüfte..... 2 0
 - 4. Emelina 1 0
 - 5. Selige Tage 1 0
 - 6. Nachgefühl 1 0
 - 7. Adieu, charmant pays de France 3 0
 - 8. For I, methinks, till I grow old 3 0
 - 9. L'air est doux, le ciel est beau 2 6
 - 10. Ange aux yeux bleus 2 6
 - 11. We rove among the roses..... 2 0
 - 12. Au bord du Rhin 2 0
 - 13. Au bord de la Lahn 2 6
 - 14. Au bord de la Nahe 2 0
 - 15. Au bord du Neckar 1 0
 - 16. Auf leichtem Zweig 1 0
 - 17. Ah! be not sad 2 0
 - 18. Remind me not 3 0

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 - 2. Sweden..... 14. Naples.
 - 3. Denmark..... 15. Spain.
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 - 5. Prussia..... 17. Switzerland.
 - 6. Prussia..... 18. France (La Marseillaise).
 - 7. Poland..... 19. France (Les Girondins).
 - 8. Saxony..... 20. Belgium.
 - 9. Bavaria..... 21. Holland.
 - 10. Austria (Haydn's hymn). 22. England (Rule Britannia).
 - 11. Hungary..... 23. America (Hail Columbia).
 - 12. Sardinia..... 24. England (God save the Queen).

STEIL, W. H.

- b My lodging is on the cold ground (variations) 3 0

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- b Deh vieni alla finestra. Serenade from Don Juan 2 6
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 - 4. The rising of the sun..... 3 0
 - 5. The march of the men of Harlech..... 3 0
 - 6. Riding over the mountain (original melody by J. Thomas) 3 0
 - 7. The plain of Rhuddlan..... 3 0
 - 8. Love's fascination 3 0
 - 9. The rising of the lark 3 0
 - 10. The camp (Of noble race was Shenkin) 3 0
 - 11. Megan's daughter 3 0
 - 12. The minstrel's adieu to his native land (original melody by J. Thomas) 3 0
 - 13. Watching the wheat 3 0
 - 14. New year's eve 3 0
 - 15. David of the white rock, or The dying bard to his harp 3 0
 - 16. Over the stone 3 0
 - 17. The miller's daughter 3 0
 - 18. Come to battle..... 3 0
 - 19. All through the night 3 0
 - 20. The blackbird 3 0
 - 21. The dawn of day 3 0
 - 22. Britain's lament 3 0
 - 23. Black Sir Harry..... 3 0
 - 24. The departure of the king 3 0

- b La source. Caprice of J. Blumenthal, transcribed 4 0
- b The harmonious blacksmith, of Händel, transcribed..... 3 6

WRIGHT, T. H.

- b Caledonian Fantasia, introducing favourite Scotch melodies.. 4 0
- b Com'è gentil (Don Pasquale). Fantasia 2 6
- b Deh calma oh ciel (Otello). Transcription..... 2 6
- b Fra poco a me ricovero (Lucia). Arranged 1 6

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